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September 25, 2008

TO: Each Health Deputy

FROM: Mario J. Pérez, Director  
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SUBJECT: **NOTICE OF INTENT TO SUPPLEMENT: AIDS HEALTHCARE FOUNDATION, CONTRACT NO. H-700936 (SCHEDULES 16 AND 19); LOS ANGELES GAY AND LESBIAN CENTER, CONTRACT NO. H-700889 (SCHEDULE 15); AND ALTAMED HEALTH SERVICES CORPORATION, CONTRACT NO. H-700957 (SCHEDULE 16), HIV COUNSELING AND TESTING SERVICES**

This is to advise you that the Department of Public Health's Office of AIDS Programs and Policy will be implementing the fifteen percent provision of above listed agency's contracts. The provision allows the Director of Public Health or his designee authorization to augment services and allocations up to fifteen percent of the contract's budget.

We will authorize the following:

- AIDS Healthcare Foundation – an augmentation of \$4,044 (\$2,500 for Schedule 16, and \$1,544 for Schedule 19), increasing the total maximum obligation of this contract to \$981,164. The augmentation will be effective from October 1, 2008, through December 31, 2008.
- Los Angeles Gay and Lesbian Center - an augmentation of \$3,343, increasing the total maximum obligation of this contract to \$183,020. The augmentation will be effective from September 15, 2008, through December 31, 2008.
- AltaMed Health Services Corporation – an augmentation of \$3,537, increasing the total maximum obligation of this contract to \$505,588. The augmentation will be effective from October 1, 2008, through December 31, 2008.

The augmentations will enable the agencies to continue providing HIV rapid testing in order to meet the requirements of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) grant: "Use of HIV Rapid Testing Algorithms for HIV Infection Diagnosis and Improved Linkage to Care." Funding is one-time-only and will be obtained from the CDC.

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If you have any questions or need additional information, please let me know. Unless we hear otherwise, the augmentation will be implemented within two weeks of the date of this letter.

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